BREEZY BRIEFLETS.

INTELLIGENCE GATHERED BY WIRE FROM FAR AND NEAR.

An Entertaining and Instructive Summary of the Doings in the Old and New World, Embracing Politics, Labor, Accidents, Crime, Industry, Etc.

A PLEASURE PARTY DEOWNED. Terrible Less Caused by the Capsizing of

a Small Boat. At Fall River (Mass.) a small boat containing a party of pleasure-seekers was capsized in the rough water in the bay, and eight persons were drowned. The names are: Samuel Wittles, aged fifty; Mrs. Wittles, aged forty-five; Henry Wittles, aged ten; Samuel Wittles, Jr., aged twelve; Levina Buckley, aged thirty-five: Fred Buckley, aged three; Willie Buckley, aged eight; Willie Turner, aged eight. The accident was caused by the inexperience of the men who were rowin; the boat, and the persistent rocking of the boat by a child in the party. Only one of the party could swim,

panions besides himself. AWFUL DYNAMITE ACCIDENT.

and he succeeded in saving one of his com-

Two Men Killed and Twenty-five Injured While Working at a Fire.

During a severe storm which passed over Lucas, Ohio, lightning struck the John Charles Block. The block was entirely consumed, together with two dwellings adjoining. There is no fire apparatus in city and the citizens turned out with buckets, but could do nothing toward extinguishing the flames. Their efforts were directed toward saving the contents of the building. While removing the goods about fifty pounds of dynamite which was kept in store exploded with disastrous effect. The bodies of John Smith and Jeremiah Jones were mangled depot had been burned, but this proves to and mutilated beyond recognition. About twenty-five persons in all were more or less injured. The seriously injured are: Joseph Hanna, F. Russell, John Gallagher, and F. Myers.

THE BALL-PLAYERS.

Standing of the Various Clubs in the Six

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Several Business Blocks at Portsmouth,

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Ohio, Destroyed by Fire. At Portsmouth, Ohio, the explosion of a gasoline stove set fire to a frame building in the rear of Welche's wholesale confectionery store. The flames spread quickly to the main building itself and from there to large blooks on either side of it. A number of buildings were totally destroyed. The loss on buildings is \$50,000, with light insurance; on the goods stored in the buildings also about \$50,000, well insured.

CRUSHED TO DEATH.

A Strong Wind Blows Down Weak Walls

and Three Men Are Killed. At Laredo, Texas, during a heavy thunderstorm a strong gust of wind struck the power-house of the electric motor streetcar line. The brick walls of the building. which was 150 feet long by 50 feet wide, collapsed and the whole structure fell with a crash. There were four men in the building at the time, three of whom, two white men and one negro, were killed.

More Labor Riots in Austria.

The labor agitation at Pilsen. Austria. has been renewed. Strikers have pillaged stores, inns, and vicarages. Many rioters have been arrested at Trophan, Sixtyseven persons recently arrested for rioting at Wagstadt and Fulnell have been sentenced to imprisonment for terms varying from three months to three years.

Break in the Eric Canal.

A break twelve rods wide in the Erie Canal, near Utica, N. Y., has washed away the New York Central Ra 1 oad tracks. A freight train ran into the gap and was wrecked. No loss of life. Canal navigation will be interrupted two weeks.

The Passion Play at Ober-Ammergau. The Passion Play has begun at Ober-Ammergau. Over five hun rel actors take part in the drama, and nine hours will be consumed in each production. Joseph

Meyer takes the part of Christ.

To Unveil Hendricks' Statue. The 1st of July has been fixed as the date for unveiling the monument of the late Vice President Headricks on the State House grounds in Indianapolis.

Tramps Fire a Village.

An infurlated lot of tramps set fire to and burned the village of Coolidge, N. M., because the citizens had banded to drive them away.

The New London Tower. The Watkins tower, 1,25) feet high, will be erected at Willesden, a London suburb.

A Railroad Bridge Goes Down.

The railroad bridge over the Ohio River at Martin's Ferry, Onio, has been wrecked by the high water and driftwood jammed against the false work, breaking it away and letting the center span, 530 feet long, drop into the river. Damage estimated at \$100,000.

Damaging Blaze in New Jersey. At Morristown, N. J., the Farrelly Building, owned by Patrick Farrelly, President of the American News Company, has been destroyed by fire. Loss, \$100,000; insurance, about \$70,00).

GARFIELD'S REMAINS MOVED.

Conveyed at Midnight to the New Monu ment in Lake View Cemetery. A Cleveland. Ohio. dispatch reports the removal of the remains of the late President James A. Garfield from the public wault in Lake View Cemetery to the crypt in the Garfield monument shortly after midnight. The secret removal of the remains was in accordance with the wishes of Mrs. Garfield, who was opposed to any demonstration or show. It was after 12 o'clock when a party of gentlemen consisting of Amos Townsend, Chairman of the Committee on Arrangements for the dedication of May 30, Gen. James Barnett and Harry A. Garfield, son of the late President, took a carriage from a down-town hotel and drove along the famed Euclid avenue to the cemetery. The party drove direct to the public vault and the heavy doors were thrown open. The bronze casket containing the remains of the late President could be seen dimly in the flickering light shed by the lanterns. It had remained undisturbed in the vault since 1881. Four stalwart men carried the remains to a hearso outside which was in readiness, and the casket was conveyed to the monument and deposited in the crypt at its base. The new sepulcher of the martyred President is accessible to all. A strong railing will be erected around the casket to prevent any one approaching

BIG BLAZE AT MILFORD, UTAH. Several Buildings Burned, with a Loss of 845,000.

nearer than ten feet.

A large portion of Milford, Utah, has been destroyel by fire, the blaze being started in a corral by a drunken man who was smoking a cigarette. The blaze spread to the northward, burning the store-house and supply depot of Klipatrick Bres. & Collins, three saloons, a hotel the Union Pacific engineer's office, the express office, the postoffice, and the Consolidated Implement Company's building. It was with difficulty that the whole settlement was prevented from going up in smoke. Kilpatrick Bros. and Collins barely saved their books. Their loss is \$25,000, with no insurance. The Consolidated Implement Company's loss is \$8,000. The other losses amount to \$12,000. It was first reported that the Union Pacific be an error.

EARTHQUAKE SHOCKS IN MONTANA. Houses Considerably Shaken Up at Bil-

lings and Other Points. A Billings (Mont.) dispatch reports the occurrence of a very severe earthquake shock. Taree distinct shocks were felt, accompanied by a deep rumbling noise. Two brick houses were shaken down and a third was cracked from roof to base, the building seeming to open and shut like a gigantic mouth. Chandellers, dishes and pictures were shaken down, and people who were aroused from sleep poured into the streets amid intense excitement. In Billings Hall a dance was in progress, and the severity of the shock threw many dancers to the floor and broke up the party in wild terror. In Yellowstone National Park all the geysers are in an abnormal state of activity.

DRESSED-BEEF MEN VICTORIOUS. Minnesota's Law Declared Unconstitu-

tional by the Supreme Court. The United States Supreme Court has rendered a decision in the important case of Minnesota against Henry Barber, known as "the dressed-beef case." The Court affirms the decision of the lower court declaring the dressed-beef law unconstitutional, and discharging the appellee from custody on the ground that the set practically ignores the rights of citizens of other States, as well as Minnesota, to engage in interstate commerce. Barber was convicted of seiling fresh beef slaughtered in Illinois, and which had not been inspected before slaughter, as required by the law of Minnesota. He alleged that the law was an unconstitutional interference

with interstate commerce. NOT WHAT THEY PRAYED FOR. A German Church Struck by Lightning

and Four People Killed. A Berlin cable says: The village of St. Mahlen, near Hildesheim, has been visited recently by severe hailstorms which have done a great deal of damage. The people gathered in a church to pray for a cessation of the storms. While the services were in progress a thunderstorm came up. and the church was struck by lightning. Four persons were instantly killed, and twenty persons were injured, four being rendered completely blind. The people were panic-stricken, and in the rush for the doors two children were crushed to death.

DEATH IN A COLLISION. Four Men Believed to Have Been Killed

in a Wreck Near Altoona.

A disastrous freight wreck occurred at Elizabeth Furnace, three miles cast of Altoona, Pa. A freight crashed into a stock train as the latter was crossing a switch from one track to another, completely demolishing fifteen cars and an engine, also killing many head of stock. Engineer William Boyd, of Harrisburg, is reported dead in the wreck and his fireman and two brakemen are thought to have been killed.

SAD NEWS FOR HIS CREDITORS.

A Boston Builder Flees, Leaving Bills Un-

paid to the Amount of \$75,000. Mr. D. W. Brocklers, one of Boston's best-known citizens and builders, has disappeared. He was last seen three weeks ago, when he went to his home on Savan street, Hoxbury, bade adjeu to his wife and daughter, and left. He was worth at one time \$200,000, and had lost all in real-estate speculation. The bills that he left unpaid will probably reach \$75,000.

OKLAHOMA TERRITORY'S GOVERNOR Arrival and Welcome of George W. Steele

at Guthrie. A Guthrie, I. T., special says: Governor George W. Steele has arrived here. He was received at the depot by the citizens of Guthrie and numerous delegations from outside towns. He was accompanied to rooms previously engaged for him by the

Committee on Reception. SHORT, AND DIDN'T KNOW IT.

William Peake, Treasurer of Kansas City,

Is Minus \$22,000 of the City's Funds. William Peake, City Treasurer of Kansas City, Mo., appears to be short in his accounts to the amount of \$22,262.16. The discovery has been made that a shortage existed and an examination has been ordered by the Mayor. Mr. Peake is an old

and highly respected citizen and is serving his third term in office. He says that he had no idea that he was short in his accounts to any considerable extent.

SMUGGLED OVER THE BORDER.

San Diego's Collector Enticed Chinamen Over to Secure Credit for Their Capture. A San Diego, Cal. paper charges that Collector of Customs John Berry paid \$50 to inveigle some Chinamen over the border some weeks ago so that he might have the eredit of capturing them. The charge, which is sustained by the testimony of several constables, is a misdemeanor under the exclusion act and punishable by a fine or imprisonment. The facts will be brought at once to the attention of the Treasury Department by affidavits. RANDALL'S SUCCESSOR.

Richard Vaux Elected Without Opposition rom the Republicans Richard Vaux has been selected without opposition to succeed the late Samuel J. Randall as Representative from the Third Congressional District, the Republicans deeming it inexpedient to cominate a candidate against him. Unlike his predecessor, he is an out and out free-trader, and will vote against the tariff bill. The newly elected Congressman is 74 years old, and has always been the strongest kind of a Democrat.

Presidential Appointments Approved. The Senate has confirmed the tollowing

John Waugh, Indian Agent at Devil's Lake Agency, Receivers Public Moneys—Anson S. Baldwin, at North Platte, Neb.; David E. Bom-gardner, at McCook, Neb. Registers of Land Offices—William T. Riley, Halley, Idaho; John I. Nesbitt, North Platts, Neb.

William C. Brace, Appraiser of Merchaudise, Cayahoga, Ohio. Registers of Land Offices— Joseph Tracey, Humboldt, Cal.; John F. Sheehan, San Francisco, Receivers of Public Moneys-Affred D. Campbell, Miles City, Mon-tana; Robert C. Heydlauff, Ashland, Wis.; Jay R. Sanborn, Cœur d'Alone, Idaho, William H. Davis of San Francisco, Supervisor of Census First California District.

Heavy Loss by Fire.

At Albany, N. Y., the largest freight house of the New York Central Railroad has been destroyed by fire. The building was a large frame structure, and was filled with general merchandise. The origin of the fire is not certain, but it is supposed to have originated in a consignment of fireworks, and spreading to some barrels of kerosene oil caused a terrific explosion. The entire loss is thought to be about \$175,-000, of which about \$75,000 will fall upon the New York Central Railroad Company and about \$50,000 on the Merchants' Dispatch The insurance will amount to about \$90,000-

Blew Himself Up with Dynamite.

A Birmingham. Ala., disputch says: Bob Crawford, a white convict of the Fratt mines, laid down a stick of dynamite, lit the fuse and shouted good-by to a dozen fellow-convicts who were watching him. Half a bushel of his remains have been found. Crawford was serving a ten years. sentence for burglary. Last week he escaped, but was soon recaptured. When taken back to the mines he said he would die rather than serve out his term.

Women Retire from Office. An Edgerton, Kan., dispatch says: At on plantion huld to fill the years by the resignations of the lady city officials. the following officers were elected: Mayor. W. G. Foott; Police Judge, M. L. Carson; Councilmen, W. H. Kelly, Will Dye, T. S. Greer, M. Crisler, P. Doran, Univ one ticket was in the field, the ladies being completely ignored. The men elected are mostly husbands of the retiring officials.

thus keeping the places in the family. Turkish Troops Routed in Albania. The attempt of the Turkish Government to install Kahreman Pasha as Governor of Albania at Laische has been flercely resisted by the Albanians, who attacked the Turkish troops sent to quell the disturbance and routed them. Many of the soldiers were killed. Additional troops have been sent to the scene.

The International Conference of Miners. At Brussels, the international conference of miners, after a lively session, resolved to favor legislative enactments making eight hours a day's work. The conference then adjourned until April, 1891. It is the opinion of some of the delegates that a general strike among miners will take place next May day.

Drowned While Boating.

At Providence, R. L. Mrs. John Huling. Mrs. Della Mannel and Miss Mamie Huling were rowing in a canvas-decked boat on the Davisville Pond when the craft suddenly filled, Mrs. Mannel and Miss Huling were drowned, but Mrs. Huling escaped by clinging to her dog, which swam with her to shore.

Won't Answer Census Questions.

It is reported at Washington that New York lawyeys have entered into an agreement to resist answering the questions of census enumerators touching acute or chronic diseases, or defects of mind or body: CATILE-Prime and that they will also refuse to answer th queries affecting private debts.

Twenty-two Years for Shellenberger. At Doylestown, Pa., J. Monroe Shellenberger, the forger and embezzler, has been

sentenced by Judge Yerkes to undergo an imprisonment of twenty-two years in the Eastern Penitentary. The prisoner was almost prostrated by the sentence and had to have assistance to leave the court-room. Leased to an English Company.

The United States Consul at Callao, Peru has notified the State Department that the Peruvian Government has leased to an English company the famous quicksliver mines of Santa Barbara. They were formerly the most productive in the world.

but have not been worked for fifty years. T. V. Powderly Not a Conspirator. At Greensburg, Pa., T. V. Powderly, J B. Byrne and Peter Wise have been acquitted of the charge of conspiracy preferred by Edward Caliaghan, of Scottdale The case was taken up at 1 o'clock p. m. and was given to the jury at 5. A verdic was returned at 6 o'clock.

Shot Their Employer.

Near Ploche, Nev., Contractor Collins, o Omaha, was shot and killed by two mer who had been working for him but had quit, and whom he refused to pay. The mer told him he had just eight minutes in which to settle, and at the end of that time, h not weakening, they shot him.

Nomination Sent to the Senate. The President has sent to the Senate th nomination of Isaac W. Dyer, of Maine, to be Attorney of the United States for th

District of Maine. Five Miners Killed by Failing Rock, Five miners, named Michael Beacher, Mat Scholar, Joseph Denesirea (Austrans), Conx-No. 2.....

and Dominick and Ginglia, Italians, were killed by hanging rock falling on them in No. 11 shaft, South Heela Branch of the

Calumet and Heela Mine. Early Crops in California.

A Tulare, Cal., dispatch says: The first barley of the season was harvested at Waukena, in this vicinity. The yield was twenty-one centals to the acre. The firs wheat of the season was marketed May 18 the earliest eve known in California,

Objectionable Census Questions. The protests that have been made concerning the questions to be asked by census enumerators caused Representative McAdoo to introduce a resolution directing the Committee on Census to report a bill looking to proper restrictions. Labor Riots in Ravenna.

Labor riots have occurred in Ravenna, Italy. Three peasants have been killed and numerous soldiers and peasants wounded. The latter earned only 7 pence

a day. The anarchists are fomenting the

trouble among the workers.

Brewers' National Convention. At the brewers' national convention held in Washington resolutions were adopted against the increased duty on barley. The old officers were re-elected for the ensuing year, and the convention then adjourned

Internal Revenue Collections. The collections of internal revenue for the first ten months of the fiscal year ending June 30, 1890, were \$114,545,276, or \$9. 724,354 more than the collections for the

corresponding period last year. Carlisle's Committee Assignments. Mr. Carlisle will be apportioned, it is said, to the following committees in the Senate: Finance, Territories, and Woman Suffrage. Mr. Blackburn leaves the Territories Committee to go on Appropriations.

A Shortage of Fruit Jars.

At a recent meeting of flint glass manufacturers held at Pittsburg it was discovered that there is a great shortage of fruit jars throughout the country. An advance of 25 per cent, on this line of goods is expected.

The Visible Supply of Grain. The visible supply of wheat and corn is respectively, 22.694,974 and 11.026,248 bushels. Both have decreased since last report the following amounts: Wheat, 96,938 bushels; and corn, 319,18) bushels.

An Embezzling Book-Keeper. George W. Roberts, book-keeper and confidential manager of the Smith & Griggs Manufacturing Company, at Waterbury, Conn., has been arrested. He is charged with embezzling \$10,000.

In the Conterence of the Southern M. E. Church at St. Louis, the Rev. Dr. Atticus

Elected Methodist Bishops.

G. Raygood of Sheffield, Ala., and the Rev. Oscar P. Fitzgerald of Nashville have been elected bishops. Heavy Rams in York State. Farmers in Central New York are fearful for their crops, rains having fallen without interruption for several days. In Albany

thirty minutes.

A Big Bucket Shop Bursts. The Public Grain and Stock Exchange dimited of New York, the largest bucket shop in the United States, has gone to the wall, owing to an attachment secured by a customer at Oswego, N. Y.

the other day half an inch of rain fell in

Censured B. K. Bruce.

The Hon. B. K. Bruce has been censured by the Afro-American League, of Ohlo, in convention at Columbus, for alleged diserimination against his own race, in discharging negroes from office.

Confessed to a Bold Robbery. A man under arrest at Clayton, Mo., has

confessed that he is the man who, about a year ago, made President Moffat, of the First National Bank of Denver, give up \$20,000 at the point of a pistol. High License in Georgia.

The liquor license in Rome, Ga., has been

put at \$1,000 per annum, the entire sum in advance. Ten dealers have paid for licenses and three bave gone out of busi-Shot the Wrong Person.

In attempting to kill his wife at Chillicothe, Mo., John L. Bowden fatally shot Mr. Rainey. Bowden then committed sui-Sentenced for Libeling His Wife.

months' imprisonment for libeling his wife. Ex-Senator Jones Insane.

Giuseppe Carusi, alias Count Montercole,

At Detroit, Mich., ex-Senator Jones, of Florida, has been adjudged insone, and committed to St. Joseph's Retreat.

MARKET REPORTS. CHICAGO.

RYE-No. 2. CAPTLE-Good to Frime. Hous-Medium and Heavy. WHEAT-No. 1 Hard. CORN-No. 2.	4.50	40	10.
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CORN No. 2 White	.95	(0)	,95%
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CATTLE	4,25	0	3.00
ST. LOUIS.	40.00	697	18.30
DATS-Mixed Western	392	10%	25
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PORK-Mess.	12.75	(0.)	3.25
Bankey-No. 2.	140	45	.61
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BUTTER-Choice Creamery	-13	30	.15
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RUSSIAN ATROCITIES. THE SENATE AND HOUSE.

NEW STORIES OF SIBERIAN PRISON HORRORS.

A Consumptive Woman Taken from Her Bed and Carried Hundreds of Miles in a Sledge in Midwinter-The Victim Expires Before Reaching Her Destination.

London cable: Recent reports of outrages in prisons of Siberia have had the effect of increasing the severity with which the national prisoners are treated, for to them the reports are attributed.

A gentleman who has just returned from Siberia brings the report of another horrible outrage, of which he says he was an eye-witness. It took place in the prison at Kara, where the previous outrages occurred which have aroused Europe. In this case the victim was also a woman. The governor visited the prison, found her among those suspected of having given information, and ordered her instant removal to Virkniondusk. The poor creature was wasted by consumption and unable to rise from her bed. By the orders of the Governor she was dragged, half-naked, by the soldiers into the court-yard of the prison, thrust into a sledge, and driven

off at a gallop in the dead of winter. The woman died before arriving at her destination. A demand has been made for the removal of Inspector Bedroiskey for wantonly shooting political prisoners under convoy.

DR. BYFORD DEAD.

One of Chicago's Ablest Physicians Is Called Suddenly.

Chicago dispatch: A certificate of Dr. Byford's death prepared by his son, also a physician, has been forwarded to the health department. Dr. Byford's name is given in full as William Heath Byford, aged 73 years and 2 months. He was born in Eaton, O., and had been a resident of this city thirty-three years. The interment will be in Graceland cometery

at a time yet to be fixed. Dr. Byford was at the time of his death the professor of gynecology in the Rush medical college. In this branch of medicine and surgery he was considered the first in the profession in this country. He was the author of many text-books on the subjects that have always been accepted as the standard works both in this country and Europe and quoted by medical writers everywhere. Formerly he was instructor in the same branch in the Chicago Medical college. He was an active member and has frequently been an officer at all local, state, and national associations and on two occasions has been selected to represent American physicians at international congresses in Berlin, London, and Edinburg.

Besides being a professor of gynecology at the Rush Medical college Dr. Byford was president of the Woman's Medical college, at which place he was also professor of gynecology; he was lecturer on surgery at the woman's hospital training-school, consulting gynecology physician at the Chicago hospital for women and children, consulting gynecology physician at Wesley hospital, acting gynecologist at the Woman's hospital, consulting physician at the Erring Woman's Refuge, attending gynecologist at St. Luke's hospital, consulting gynecologist at the Central free dispensary, and attending physician at the Oak Woods Spring sanitarium. Of many of these he was the founder. The large and magnificently appointed woman's hospital at Thirty-second street and Indiana avenue is seldom called by any other

name than Byford's hospital. Dr. Byford leaves a wife and several children. One of his sons is Dr. H. T. Byford, and Mrs. Leonard, who is a factory commissioner and a member of Health Commissioner Wickersham's force, is a daughter.

ORIGINAL PACKAGES.

Judge Hindman Charges a Grand Jury to Indict All Dealers.

Nevada, Iowa, dispatch: At the opening of court Judge Hindman, in his charge to the grand jury, gave the orginal package business a black eye in this section. He charged them that notwithstanding the late decision of the United States Supreme court no person has a right in this State to keep a place for the sale of intoxicating liquors of any kind, either in original packages or otherwise, and said it was the sworn duty of the jurors to has been sentenced at Philadelphia to six report to the court by indictment any person engaged in the keeping of such a place, without regard to where such liquors came from. He takes the ground that the State has the inherent right to prohibit and abate nulsances and punish persons engaged in maintaining a nuisance within its borders and that the question of inter-State commerce has nothing to do with it. That the keeping of a place for the sale of liquors as a beverage is a nuisance, whether dealt out in original package or some other way, and that the late decision is not in conflict with this view.

EYRAUD CAPTURED.

The Slayer of Notary Gouffe Taken at Havana.

Havana cable: The police have captured the Frenchman, Miguel Eyraud, who during the month of July last murdered Notary Gouffe in Paris. Eyrand registered at the Hotel Roma under the name of Miguel Doski. He claimed to be a native of Poland. When he was placed in jail he attempted to commit suicide by cutting the veins in his legs and arms with a piece of glass. He lost a great deal of blood before medical assistance could be obtained, but the doctors attending him sav he will recover. In his trunk were found several French newspapers containing an account of his crime. A pistol and a dagger were also found in the trunk.

Schedules in the assignment of Max Hellman & Sons of New York, manufacturers of slik ribbons, to R. Corbett Ogden, show liabilities of \$125,925, nominal assets, \$33,928; actual assets, \$6,804.

FANNY DAVENCORT, the actress, is defendant in a suit for libel brought by | two actors of her company. She said they had been guilty of "ungentlemanly conduct."

CHICAGO board of trade men, dissatis-

Union, propose to build a telegraph line of their own from Chicago to New York. C. F. KANNIER, cashier of the Penn-

sylvania Gas company, has been arrested at Warren, N. Y., charged with embez-zling the funds of the company.

NATIONAL LAW-MAKERS AND WHAT THEY ARE DOING.

Proceedings of the Senate and House of Representatives - Important Measures Discussed and Acted On-Gist of the

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inst. in the consideration of the bill reported from the Judiciary Committee subjecting imfrom the Judiciary Committee subjecting imported liquors to the provisions of the law of the several States. The bill provides that "No State simil be held to be limited or restrained in its power to prohibit, regulate, control or tax the sale, keeping for sale or the transportation as an article of commerce or otherwise, to be delivered within its own limits, of any fermented, distilled or other intexicating liquids or liquors by reason of the fast that the same have been imported into such a State from beyond its distilled or other intexteating liquids or industry by reason of the fast that the same have been imported into such a State from beyond its limits, whether there shall or shall not have been paid thereon any tax, duty, impost or excise to the United States." Mr. Wilson, of Iowa, who impost or excise to the United States." Mr. Wilson, of Iowa, who impost or excise to the United States." Mr. Wilson, of Iowa, who impost or excise to the United States." Mr. Wilson, of Iowa, who impost or excise to the United States. "Mr. Wilson, of Iowa, who impost of the saying that it would have the effect to virtually destroy the interstate commerce law. The rest of the session was devoted to eulogies on the late Congressman W. D. Kelley, of Pennsylvania. The speakers were: Senators Cameron, Morrill, Reagan, Sherman, Hampton, Hawiey and Daniel, In the House the day was spent in committee of the whole on the tariff bill, and many amendments were offered to it, the only ones agreed to being certain ones by Mr. McKinley reducing from 14 to II cents per cubic foot the duty on unmanufactured or undressed freestone, granite, sandstone, or other building or monumental stene, except marble, not otherstone, granite, sandstone, or other building or monumental stone, except marble, not otherwise provided for, and from 50 to 40 per cent. on hewn, dressed or polished stone of the same character; fixing the duty on sweetened chocolate at 3 cents a pound; changing the duty on steel ingots, etc., valued above 16 cents per pound, from 45 per cent, ad valorem to 7 cents a pound; fixing a duty of 15 per cent al valorem on white paper for photographers; placing on the free list fish, the product of American fisheries, and fresh or frozen fish caught in fresh waters, except salmon; fixing the duty on shot guns valued at no more than \$12 at 33 per cent.; valued at more than \$12, 40 per cent.; pistols and revolving pistols, 35 per cent.; taking bristles from the free list and fixing the duty upon them at ten cents per pound. The committee then rose and the House adjourned.

In the Senate on the 21st inst, the resignation

In the Senate on the 21st inst, the resignation of Sergeant-at-Arms Canaday was received and laid on the table. It is to take effect June 30. laid on the table. It is to take effect June 30. Mr. Stewart then addressed the Senate on the silver bill. At the conclusion of Mr. Stewart's speech the "original package" bill was again taken up. The purpose of the bill is to nullify the effect of the recent decision of the United States Supreme Court. Its importance is fully realized by the Senate, and the various provisions embraced in it were debated quite fully. Senator Evarts spoke at considerable length urging its passage. No final action was had, however, on the bill and the Senate adjourned after a brief executive session. The House went urging its passage. No final action was had, however, on the bill and the Senate adjourned after a brief executive session. The House went into committee of the whole immeliately upon assembling. Mr. Gresvenor, of Ohio in the chair. After some debate, Mr. McKinley demanded the previous question on the bill and amendments, and the previous question was ordered—yeas 161, nays 143. The amendments were then read in detail. The first amendment on which a separate vote was demanded was one changing the phraseology of the tin-plate clause. It was adopted—yeas 150, nays 149. The amendment which increases the duty on jute yarn from 30 per cent, as fixed in the bill to 35 per cent, was rejected by a vote of 144 to 143, leaving the duty at 30 per cent. An amendment in the section relating to the duty on wool and worsted yarn which provides that the duty shall be two and one-half times the price of first-class unwashed wool per pound and 35 per cent, ad valorem was rejected by a vote of 148 to 157, leaving the duty fixed by the bill at twice the price of unwashed wool of the first-class and 35 per cent, ad valorem, The page reads would be the price of unwashed wool of the first-class and 35 per cent, ad valorem, wool of the first class and 35 per cent, ad valorsm, The paragraph which fixed the duty on woolen and worsted cloths at three times the value of unwashed wool per peuted and 35 per cent. ad valorem was rejected, leaving the duty fixed by the bill at twice the value of wool, with 35 per cent, ad valorem. All other amendments adopted in the committee of the whole were passed by the House, and the bill was then passed by a vote of 162 to 142, all the Republicans present except Mr. Coleall the Republicans present except Mr. Col man, of L uisiana, and Mr. Featherstone, of Arkansas, voting for it, and all the Democrats against it. The announcement of its passage was greeted with applause on both sides of the House. The House then adjourned,

In the Senate, on the 22d inst , the credentials of Calvin S. Brice, as Senator from the State of Ohio for six years, commencing March 4, 1891, were presented by Mr. Payne, read and placed on file. Senator Daniel addressed the Senate were presented by Mr. Payne, read and placed on file. Senator Daniel addressed the Senato on the silver bill, speaking in favor of silver currency. The naval a propriation bill was then taken up and discussed until adjournment. In the House, Mr. Dannell, of Minneseta, from the Committee on Census, reported a bill amendatory of the census act, which was passed. It prescribes a ponalty upon any supervisor or enumerator who shall receive or any person who shall pay any fee or other consideration in addition to the compensation of such supervisor or enumerator. The afternoon was spent, on the river and harbor appropriation bill. Mesers, Blanchard Catchings, Grosvenor, Henderson and other members of the committee spoke in support of the bill. Mr. Kerr, of Iowa, spoke in opposition to the passage of a bill for sil,000,000 on the small amount of information which the committee hal included in their report, Mr. Grosvenor replied that the reports of the engineers were accessible to every member who desired to consult them, and gave the follest information on the subject. Mr. Boatner, of formation on the subject. Mr. Boatner, of Legislana, made an argument in favor of the use of Government funds for the construction

of levees.

THE Senate spent the 23d inst. in the consideration of the naval appropriation bill. Pending the discussion, the Senate bill for a public building at Canton, Ohlo, the cost not to exceed \$100,000, was taken from the calendar and passed. By unanimous consent Mr. Stanford addressed the Senate briefly in advocacy of the passed. By unanimous consent Mr. Stanford addressed the Senate briefly in advocacy of the bill introduced by him some days age providing for loans by the Government on agricultural lands. Senator Dolph then addressed the Senate at length upon the naval appropriation bill. Mr. Dolph concluded at 5 o'clock, and after a brief executive session the Senate adjourned. The House spent the entire day in the consideration of the river and harbor bill. The apprepriations for all harbors were considered paragraph by paragraph, and were all passed by the committee of the whole without change. Mr. Post, of Illinois, offered an amendment to the paragraph relating to the Illinois River providing for a survey from Joliet to the mouth of the river to determine the cost of despening the river to such a depth a will enable the largest Mississippi beats to run from the Mississippi River and up the Illinois to Joliet, at which point, he said, the State of Illinois would connect the ship canal and enable the steamers to run on from that point to Lake Michigan at Chicago. The Hennepin Canal clause was then taken up and a point of order was made against it. Mr. Henderson, of Illinois, and others argued against the point of order, the argument occupying the remainder of the afternoon. The House adjourned without a decision upon a point of order. No changes of importance were made in the bill, and no opposition of any importance was developed aside from that relating to the Hennepin Canal. Among the paragraphs passed were those making appropriations for the improvement of the harbors at Chicago and other Illinois points, as well as in Wisconsin and Michigan. The House adopted Mr. Hitt's amendment allowing the people of Galena to improve the channel connecting that city with the Mississippi, and engaging to refund slou,000 of the cost in case the work is successful.

Old Chocolate's Chat.

Yo' doan' allus lose w'en yo' trus'

A lock offen makes a t'lef de mo' t'evish.

De longah de fox walts de hungrier he Be car'ful in yo' deal wid de man ob ceremony.

Hit er hahd to tell w'ose chicken dem fedders belong toe. De man dat sows thistles wid his seed

mus'n't hahvest bahfooted. W'en yo' grease de w'eels yo' he'p de cattle ez well ez save w'ar an' t'ar. De man dat yo' helped toe stove-wood

in Decembah done fowgit hit by July. Ef yo' know a man toe be a liah yo' fled with the rates of the Western kin trade mules wid um undahstan'in'ly. Toe de lazy man a cool place undah a tree offahs ez good fishin' ez de brook

undah de sun. De man dat has de bes' fawchune wid kyards in de long run am de one dat looks on w'lle oddahs play.-Judge.